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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: B. To  
MIYUKI ENOKIDA et al. )  
: Group Art Unit: 2172  
Application No.: 09/558,656 )  
: Filed: April 26, 2000 )  
: For: DATA PROCESSING )  
: METHOD AND DATA )  
: PROCESSING DEVICE )  
: April 19, 2004

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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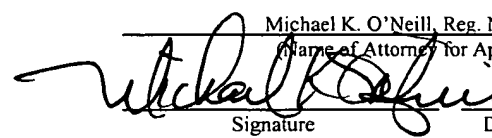
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2003 for one month, from March 17, 2004 to Monday, April 19, 2004.

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Signature Monday, April 19, 2004  
Date of Signature

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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